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House Resolution No. 3652

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State educators who admirably have helped their young charges obtain the knowledge, skills, and experiences necessary to become lifelong learners and future societal leaders; and

Whereas, Emma Lowe has attained considerable distinction as an elementary teacher in the Kearney R-I School District which provides educational opportunities to nearly thirty-four hundred students through the expertise of more than two hundred seventy-five certificated staff in seven separate facilities; and

Whereas, on May 25, 2005, Emma Lowe brought her classroom endeavors to a close in well-deserved retirement after twenty-five years of service; and

Whereas, a teacher in the Kearney school system since the age of thirty-one, Emma Lowe became known as the "Garfield teacher" due to the cartoon character's appearance throughout the classroom; and

Whereas, a fourth-grade teacher at Southview Elementary, Emma Lowe also taught at the Kearney Elementary Annex; and

Whereas, it is fitting and proper that the Missouri House of Representatives should pause in its diverse daily activities in order to acknowledge momentous occasions in the lives and careers of such exemplary citizens as Emma Lowe:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the personal and professional achievements garnered down through the years by Emma Lowe with the Kearney R-I School District and to convey this legislative body's most heartfelt best wishes as she partakes of the special opportunities and pleasures traditionally associated with the golden years of retirement; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of Emma Lowe.

Offered by

Representative Doug Ervin District No. 35
I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 3652, adopted June 6, 2005.
Rod Jetton, Speaker